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CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**PACIFIC RACING ASSOCIATION**

Golden Gate Fields
Albany, California

Report of the Board of Stewards
To the California Horse Racing Board

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Report for the period Friday, December 26, 2014 through Sunday, December 28, 2014.

GENERAL DATA:

Dates: Ninety eight (98) Days – Friday, December 26, 2014 through Sunday, June 14, 2015 with special race days:
Wednesday, December 31, 2014
Monday, January 19, 2015 (Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday)
Monday, February 16, 2015 (Presidents' Day)
Monday, May 25, 2015 (Memorial Day)

Entries: Forty eight (48) to one hundred sixty eight (168) hours in advance.

Scratch Time: 9:00 a.m. the prior race day

Post Time: 12:45 p.m. daily except:
12:15 p.m. on 12/26
11:15 a.m. on 2/1 (subject to change)
11:45 a.m. on 5/2, 5/16 and 6/6 (subject to change)
1:45 p.m. on 5/1, 5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5 and 6/12 (Fridays)

Wagering: Win, Place and Show; \$1 Exacta, \$1 Trifecta, \$1 Superfecta, \$2 Rolling Double, \$1 Pick 3, \$1 Pick 3, \$0.50 Pick 4, \$0.50 Pick 5, \$0.20 Golden Pick 6, \$1 Super High Five

Northern California Satellite Facilities:

Anderson, Bankers Casino, Ferndale, Fresno, Fresno Club One, Monterey, Pleasanton, Sacramento, San Jose, San Mateo, Santa Rosa, Stockton, Tulare, Turlock and Vallejo

STEWARDS

Representing the California Horse Racing Board –
 John B. Herbuveaux, Darrel McHargue and Dennis Nevin;
 (Safety Steward: Vic Stauffer)

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| Carrie Fawcett | Stable Superintendent |
| Plusmic Corp., Inc. | Photo Finish |
| Forrest Franklin, DVM | CHRB Veterinarian |
| Sara Sporer, DVM | Track Veterinarian |
| Diane Isbell, DVM | Examining Veterinarian |

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF:

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| Michael Wrona | Track Announcer |
| Juan Meza | Track Superintendent |
| Steve Martinelli | Odds Maker |
| William Vassar | Track Photographer |
| David Seftel, M.D. | Track Physician |

Friday12-26-14¹**CAL – BRED REPORT**

Purse \$25,000. For California bred or California sired fillies and mares three years old and upward, claiming \$40,000., at six furlongs. The race was called off with no entries.

12-26-14²**DECLARATIONS - REFUNDS**

| | | | |
|---|----------------------|------------|---------|
| 1 st race: #4 ACT NATURALLY | (Tr. Steve Miyadi) | | injured |
| Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer | | REFUND: \$ | 316.70 |
| #6 FLATTER'S SECRET | (Tr. Jeff Bonde) | | sick |
| Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer | | REFUND: \$ | 246.00 |
| 2 nd race: #3 SQUARE JIMMER | (Tr. Jim Penny) | | sick |
| Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer | | REFUND: \$ | 254.10 |
| #5 SOOO MAJOR | (Tr. J.B. Josephson) | | injured |
| Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer | | REFUND: \$ | 115.00 |
| 8 th race: #4 DIAMOND MAN | (Tr. R. B. Hess) | | injured |
| Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer | | REFUND: \$ | 68.70 |
| #6 KANUCK KOWBOY | (Tr. Quentin Miller) | | sick |
| Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer | | REFUND: \$ | 13.00 |
| 9 th race: #3 ALY'S LAST MAGIC | (Tr. Alex Paszkeicz) | | injured |
| Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer | | REFUND: \$ | 49.22 |

12-26-14³**INQUIRY – DISQUALIFICATION**

Following the running of the 2nd race the inquiry sign was posted for a review of interference near the three eighths marker involving (from the outside in) #7 TUPELO CUSH (3rd place- jockey Richard Mitchell), #2 BEV'S FINALE (1st place – jockey Silvio Amador) and #1 ANCIENT MYSTERY (5th place – jockey Leslie Mawing). After talking to the riders involved and reviewing the recorded views #7 was disqualified from 3rd to 5th place. The recordings and the information provided by the riders involved placed blame on #7 when it drifted in forcing #2 into the path of #1 and caused the rider of #1 to check his mount and to lose an opportunity if a better placement.

12-26-14⁴**CLAIM VOID – 7TH RACE**

The claim for #3 MICKEY BALL was voided after the Official Veterinarian placed the horse on the Veterinarian's list following the running of the seventh race due to unsoundness. MICKEY BALL was returned to the Jerry Hollendorfer barn.

12-26-14⁵**8th RACE – JOCKEY OBJECTION**

Following the running of the eighth race jockey Silvio Amador, rider of #5 IF (4th place) lodged an objection against #3 JACKSON'S A BOBCAT (1st place – jockey Russell Baze) for alleged interference at the head of the stretch.

After talking to the riders involved and reviewing the recordings of the incidents no change was made to the order of finish.

The recordings show the interference was caused by #11 RINGSIDE SEAT (11th place jockey Dionicio Navarro) when that rival drifted out and forced #5 out into #3 and then finished behind those rivals.

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| 12-26-14 ⁶ | ATTENDANCE & HANDLE | | |
| | GGF | 1348 | \$ 389,497.00 |
| | NCOT | 2473 | \$ 825,023.10 |
| | SCOT | | \$ 494,961.50 |
| | Out of State | | \$ 1,071,004.67 |
| | TOTAL | | \$2,780,486.27 |

Saturday**12-27-14¹ CAL – BRED REPORT**

Purse \$25,000. For California bred or California sired three years old and upward, claiming \$40,000 at six furlongs. The race was called off with five entries.

12-27-14² DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS

| | | |
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| 2 nd race: #7 KAEPERNICKING | (Tr. Greg James) | sick |
| Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell | REFUND: \$ | 117.70 |
| 3 rd race: #5 BARINTHECANYON | (Tr. Tim McCanna) | sick |
| Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell | REFUND: \$ | 193.68 |
| 6 th race: #2 STORMIN WILD | (Tr. Armando Lage) | off turf |
| Stewards | REFUND: \$ | 81.20 |
| #7 PARSKY | (Tr. Sergio Ledezma) | off turf |
| Stewards | REFUND: \$ | 48.00 |
| 7 th race: #1 FRISCO FOG | (Tr. O.J. Jauregui) | sick |
| Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell | REFUND: \$ | 64.72 |
| #7 HOLLYWOOD MISS | (Tr. Troy Taylor) | injured |
| Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell | REFUND: \$ | 184.16 |
| 8 th race: #3 SIBERIAN OLYMPIAD | (Tr. Ellen Jackson) | sick |
| Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell | REFUND: \$ | 73.00 |
| #4 LADETTE | (Tr. Greg James) | sick |
| Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell | REFUND: \$ | 246.64 |
| #10 CANDY TALE | (Tr. Jeff Bonde) | sick |
| Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell | REFUND: \$ | 1648.00 |
| 9 th race: #6 MONSTER HIT | (Tr. Guillermo Preciado) | sick |
| Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell | REFUND; \$ | 69.12 |

12-27-14³ JOCKEYS RICHARD MITCHELL AND DIONICIO NAVARRO RULINGS**RULING NO.01**

Jockey **RICHARD MITCHELL** who rode **TUPELO CUSH** in the Second race at Golden Gate Fields on Friday, December 26, 2014 is suspended three (3) racing days (January 3, 4, and 8, 2015) for failure to make a proper effort to maintain a true course around the far turn and causing interference resulting in the disqualification of his mount from third to fifth; a violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules - Careless Riding).

RULING NO.02

Jockey **DIONICIO NAVARRO** who rode **RINGSIDE SEAT** in the eighth race at Golden Gate Fields on Friday, December 26, 2014 is suspended three (3) racing days (January 3, 4, and 8, 2015) for

failure to make a proper effort to maintain a straight course in the stretch and causing interference; a violation of California Horse Racing Board Rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules - Careless Riding).

The rulings listed above were issued after both riders reviewed their respective races with the Stewards and failed to provide valid reasons for their failure to make the necessary course correction in a timely manner.

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| 12-27-14 ⁴ | ATTENDANCE & HANDLE |
| GGF | 1482 \$ 388,592.00 |
| NCOT | 2629 \$ 877,566.20 |
| SCOT | \$ 466,246.80 |
| Out of State | \$ 1,061,030.81 |
| TOTAL | \$2,793,435.81 |

Sunday

12-28-14¹ **CAL – BRED REPORT**

Purse \$9,500. For California bred or California sired three years old and upward, claiming \$4,000., at one mile. The race was called off with no entries.

12-28-14² **TRAINER WILLIAM J. NOLAN (CASE#14GG0056) RULING NO.03** **TRAINER TERRY JOHNSON (CASE #14GG0094) RULING No.04**

NO.03

Acting on an order of remand following the adoption of a proposed decision by the California Horse Racing Board, trainer **WILLIAM J. NOLAN**, who started the horse LUCY WIGGLES, winner of the third race at Golden Gate Fields on May 8, 2014, is suspended sixty (60) days, January 05 through March 05, 2015 inclusive and is fined the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4000.00)* pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rules #1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) for violation of CHRB rules #1843 (a), (b), (c) & (d) (Medication, Drugs and Other Substances: Prohibited Drug Substances

- Pseudoephedrine and O-Desmethylypyrilamine, a metabolite of
- Pyrilamine [Class 3]) and #1890 (a) & (b) (Possession of contraband: needles, syringes and injectable medications.

NO.04

Acting on an order of remand following the adoption of a proposed decision by the California Horse Racing Board, trainer **TERRY M. JOHNSON**, who started the horse GIANNONATTI, third place finisher in the eighth race at Golden Gate Fields on August 23, 2014, is suspended fifteen (15) days, January 2 through 16, 2015 inclusive and is fined the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00)* pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) for violation of CHRB rule #1843 (a), (b) & (d) (Medication, Drugs and Other Substances: Prohibited Drug Substance – Gabapentin [Class 3]).

The foregoing rulings were issued after the California Horse Racing Board remanded the decisions to this Board to issue the rulings.

12-28-14³ **DECLARATIONS AND ENTRIES**

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| 6 th race: #3 HEDGEWOOD GOLD | (Tr. Frank Lucarelli) | | injured |
| Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell | | REFUND: \$ | 156.80 |
| 7 ^h race: #5 GABBRO GLITZ | (Tr. L.A. Martinez) | | off turf |
| Stewards | | REFUND: \$ | 22.72 |
| #8 TROPICAL HEAT | (Tr. William Delia) | | off turf |
| Stewards | | REFUND: \$ | 350.92 |
| #9 SEEKING THE STITCH | (Tr. Joseph Brook) | | off turf |
| Stewards | | REFUND; \$ | 116.72 |
| 8 th race: #7 TIP TOP LADY | (Tr. Jeff Bonde) | | sick |
| Official Veterinarian Forrest Franklin | | REFUND: \$ | 449.20 |
| 9 th race: #3 MR. TAKAHASHI | (Tr. Blaine Wright) | | sick |
| Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell | | REFUND: \$ | 337.76 |

12-28-14⁴ **RACING PROGRAM**

The nine races on today's program progressed smoothly without noteworthy incident.

12-28-14⁵ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

| | | |
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| GGF | 2554 | \$ 422,727.90 |
| NCOT | 2055 | \$ 697,115.90 |
| SCOT | | \$ 433,977.50 |
| Out of State | | \$ 884,472.69 |
| TOTAL | | \$2,438,293.89 |

W E E K L Y S U M M A R Y

ATTENDANCE REPORT - The full Board of Stewards was in attendance each racing day during this reporting period for both morning business and the afternoon racing program.

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

| Date | Race | No. | Horse | Trainer | Reason | Vet | Refund |
|----------|------|-----|--------------------|-----------|----------|----------|------------------|
| 12-26-14 | 1 | 4 | ACT NATURALLY | Miyadi | Injured | Sporer | \$316.70 |
| 12-26-14 | 1 | 6 | FLATTER'S SECRET | Bonde | Sick | Sporer | \$246.00 |
| 12-26-14 | 2 | 3 | SQUARE JIMMER | Penny | Sick | Sporer | \$254.10 |
| 12-26-14 | 2 | 5 | SOOO MAJOR | Josephson | Injured | Sporer | \$115.00 |
| 12-26-14 | 8 | 4 | DIAMOND MAN | Hess | Injured | Sporer | \$68.70 |
| 12-26-14 | 8 | 6 | KANUCK KOWBOY | Miller | Sick | Sporer | \$13.00 |
| 12-26-14 | 9 | 3 | ALY'S LAST MAGIC | Paszkeicz | Injured | Sporer | \$49.22 |
| 12-27-14 | 2 | 7 | KAEPERNICKING | James | Sick | Isbell | \$117.60 |
| 12-27-14 | 3 | 5 | BARINTHECANYON | McCanna | Sick | Isbell | \$193.68 |
| 12-27-14 | 6 | 2 | STORMIN WILD | Lage | Off turf | Stewards | \$81.20 |
| 12-27-14 | 6 | 7 | PARSKY | Ledezma | Off turf | Stewards | \$48.00 |
| 12-27-14 | 7 | 1 | FRISCO FOG | Jauregui | Sick | Isbell | \$64.72 |
| 12-27-14 | 7 | 7 | HOLLYWOOD MISS | Taylor | Injured | Isbell | \$184.16 |
| 12-27-14 | 8 | 3 | SIBERIAN OLYMPIAD | Jackson | Sick | Isbell | \$73.00 |
| 12-27-14 | 8 | 4 | LADETTE | James | Sick | Isbell | \$246.64 |
| 12-27-14 | 9 | 6 | MONSTER HIT | Preciado | Sick | Isbell | \$1648.00 |
| 12-27-14 | 6 | 3 | HEDGEWOOD GOLD | Lucarelli | Injured | Isbell | \$156.80 |
| 12-27-14 | 7 | 5 | GABBRO GLITZ | Martinez | Off turf | Stewards | \$22.72 |
| 12-27-14 | 7 | 8 | TROPICAL HEAT | Delia | Off turf | Stewards | \$350.92 |
| 12-27-14 | 7 | 9 | SEEKING THE STITCH | Brook | Off turf | Stewards | \$116.72 |
| 12-27-14 | 8 | 7 | TIP TOP LADY | Bonde | Sick | Franklin | \$449.20 |
| 12-27-14 | 9 | 3 | MR. TAKAHASI | Wright | Sick | Isbell | \$337.76 |

VETERINARY REPORT**Euthanized/Died –**

12-16-14 Juleps And Roses (Tr. D. Raymond) ruptured colon (Pleasanton)

12-21-14 Diamond Geezah (Tr. Jerry Weaver) horse returned from farm in poor condition- Ataxia – condition worsened

12-22-14 Fever's Comet (Tr. John Anderson) deep abscess left hock (treated 2 weeks)

Veterinarian's List

There were twenty five (25) horses placed on the vet's list:

Sick: 14

Injured: 7

Unsound: 3

Exhausted: 1

There were nine (9) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick: 6

Injured: 3

Shockwave Therapy: There were two shockwave therapy treatments reported.

| | 12/26 | 12/27 | 12/28 | Week | Meet |
|----------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| ACCIDENTS | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CAL-BRED RACES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| CLAIMS | 4 | 6 | 6 | 16 | 16 |
| DISQUALIFICATIONS | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| REFUNDS | 7 | 10 | 6 | 23 | 23 |
| RULINGS | 0 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 |
| CLAIMS VOID | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES

| | | |
|-----------------|------|----------------|
| Anderson | 51 | \$14,826.80 |
| Bankers Casino | 45 | \$23,109.60 |
| Ferndale | 0 | \$0.00 |
| Fresno | 241 | \$60,573.00 |
| Fresno Club One | 78 | \$59,637.10 |
| Monterey | 159 | \$51,775.00 |
| Pleasanton | 1052 | \$427,678.20 |
| Sacramento | 749 | \$242,075.40 |
| San Jose | 1117 | \$311,934.00 |
| San Mateo | 1815 | \$725,687.30 |
| Santa Rosa | 508 | \$105,923.60 |
| Stockton | 579 | \$144,672.30 |
| Tulare | 0 | \$0.00 |
| Turlock | 242 | \$68,229.39 |
| Vallejo | 521 | \$163,583.60 |
| So. California | | \$1,395,185.80 |
| Out of State | | \$3,016,508.07 |

Respectfully submitted,

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Dennis Nevin, Steward

John Herbuveaux, Steward

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